

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Appropriations: September 14, Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine the health effects of cell phone use, 2 p.m., SD-138.

September 16, Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government, to hold hearings to examine the use, impact, and accomplishments of Federal appropriations provided to improve the education of children in the District of Columbia, 10 a.m., SD-192.

Committee on Armed Services: September 15, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Michael G. Mullen, for reappointment as the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and reappointment to the grade of admiral, 9:30 a.m., SD-106.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: September 16, Subcommittee on Science and Space, to hold hearings to examine options from the review of the United States Human Space Flight Plans Committee, 2:30 p.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: September 15, business meeting to consider pending nominations; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine potential costs and price volatility in the energy sector, focusing on the greenhouse gas trading program, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

September 17, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine energy and related economic effects of global climate change legislation, 2:15 p.m., SD-366.

Committee on Finance: September 15, to hold hearings to examine unemployment insurance benefits, 10 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: September 15, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Alan D. Solomont, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Spain, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to Andorra, Lee Andrew Feinstein, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Poland, Barry B. White, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Norway, and Jose W. Fernandez, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary for Economic, Energy, and Business Affairs, all of the Department of State, 9:30 a.m., SD-419.

September 16, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine exploring three strategies for Afghanistan, 2:30 p.m., SD-419.

September 17, Full Committee, business meeting to consider the nomination of Michael H. Posner, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor, Time to be announced, SD-419.

September 17, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine countering the threat of failure in Afghanistan, 10 a.m., SD-419.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: September 14, to hold hearings to examine cyber attacks, focusing on protecting industry against growing threats, 10 a.m., SD-342.

September 15, Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia, to hold hearings to examine security clearance reform, focusing on modernization, 2:30 p.m., SD-342.

September 16, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Daniel I. Werfel, of Virginia, to be Controller, Office of Federal Financial Management, Office of Management and Budget, 10 a.m., SD-342.

September 16, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Richard Serino, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Administrator, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security, 2 p.m., SD-342.

September 17, Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Disaster Recovery, to hold hearings to examine improving transparency and accessibility of federal contracting databases, 2:30 p.m., SD-342.

Committee on Indian Affairs: September 17, to hold an oversight hearing to examine federal tax treatment of health care benefits provided by tribal governments to their citizens, 2:15 p.m., SD-628.

Committee on the Judiciary: September 15, Subcommittee on Human Rights and the Law, to hold hearings to examine human rights, focusing on mental illness in United States prisons and jails, 10 a.m., SD-226.

September 16, Full Committee, to hold an oversight hearing to examine the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), 10 a.m., SD-226.

September 17, Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 448 and H.R. 985, bills to maintain the free flow of information to the public by providing conditions for the federally compelled disclosure of information by certain persons connected with the news media, S. 369, to prohibit brand name drug companies from compensating generic drug companies to delay the entry of a generic drug into the market, and the nominations of Paul Joseph Fishman, to be United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey, and Jenny A. Durkan, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Washington, both of the Department of Justice, 10 a.m., SD-226.

September 17, Subcommittee on Crime and Drugs, to hold hearings to examine S. 1551, to amend section 20 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to allow for a private civil action against a person that provides substantial assistance in violation of such Act, 2 p.m., SD-226.

Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship: September 16, business meeting to consider the nominations of Winslow Lorenzo Sargeant, of Wisconsin, to be Chief Counsel for Advocacy, and Peggy E. Gustafson, of Illinois, to be Inspector General, both of the Small Business Administration, Time to be announced, Room to be announced.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: September 17, to hold hearings to examine veterans' disability compensations, focusing on benefits in the 21st century, 9:30 a.m., SR-418.

Select Committee on Intelligence: September 17, to hold closed hearings to consider certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., S-407, Capitol.